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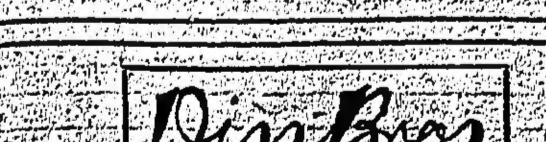
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GERMANY.

BOLSHEYISTS INTEND TO OCCUPY REVAL

COPENHAGEN, December 4th. According to Le Temps a measage from Finland says:—The Bolshevists intend to occupy Reval before the arrival of the British aquadron.

GENERAL YON HINDENBURG TO BE ARRESTED.

and General von Hindenburg be arrested. Apenrade.

CONFERENCE OF THE GERMAN COVERNMENTS.

AMSTERDAM, December 4th. The Bayarian Premier has telegraphed to Colonel House that Herr Ebert proposing an immediate conference of representatives of the German ments at Jena on the questions of National Assembly, the Foreign Minis-

try at Berlin, and the publication

MACKENSEN'S ARMY INTERNED.

COPENHAGEN, December 4th. A message from Budapest says that General von Mackensen's Army of 170,000 be interned in Hungary in accordance with the demand of France.

SILESIA THREATENS SEPARA-TION FROM PRUSSIA

COPENHAGEN. December 4th. A message from Berlin states :- The Peoples' Council at Breslau has sent an ultimate to Berlin demanding the imconvocation of a Constituent Assembly threatening that Silesia will eparate from Prussia unless a satisanswer is received, within forty-

> KING OF WURTEMBERG abdicates.

COPENHAGEN, December 4th. message from Stuttgart says that the King of Wurtemburg has abdicated. STRONG MOVEMENTS IN FAVOUR OF THE OLD REGIME:

LONDON, December 4th. In connection with the report that the Kaiser had definitely renounced; Throne, it is noteworthy that strong movements, with which powerful military elements are identified, are aiming of the restoration of the old regime.

It is reported that Prince Rupprecht Bavaria is in Switzerland where a conference of Austro German Royalists | Guards played on the platform. is to be held.

DEPLETION OF THE REICHS-

AMSTERDAM, December 4th. President of the Reichsbank states hat the funds of the bank have been

depleted by 5,000,000,000 marks between October 1st and November 23rd

NO DANGER OF STARVATION LONDON, December 4th. Reports from Stockholm, and from

Zurich affirm there is no danger of starvation in Germany and that the situation there is purposely exaggerated in order to arouse pity amongst the Allies.

EN-KAISER'S EXTRAORDINARY CONVERSATION.

COPENHAGEN December 4th. the latter's flight.

mann Hollwer and Herr Jagow were solely foundland and Australia; also General responsible for Germany's policy. The Smuts, Mr. Walter Long, Mr. Montagu last few weeks before war they sent him and other Ministers, lace participating to Norway against his will. Dr. Bethmann Hollweg told him if he remained in Germany, it would mean war, for which the world would make the Kalser respon-

He had received no reports from hir Ministers throughout his stay in Norway This lasted an hour and marked the and had only learned what happened in the world from the Norwegian papers. When he thus learned that the British fleet had sailed, he returned on his own accord, and the British nearly caught

The Kaiser concluded by dengthily reiterating that Russia was responsible for the war asserting that Russian troop were across the frontier before war was

OTHE GUBMAN WAR PRISONERS COMMISSION.

AMSTERDAM, December 4tl message from Berlin gays Herr Bizberger, opening the War Prisoners Commission to investigate the allegations of cruelty promised ruthless punishmen to those the were convicted of illireating

GERMAN ARMIES IN THE BAST

GDPENEAGUE, December 3rd.

The German Peoples Commissary
Herr Barth, deplores the situation of the
Army in the East, which it is feared, may
suffer the inte of Napoleon's Army in

CEDES SCHLESWIG-HOLSTED TO DENMARK:

LONDON. December 4th. A telegram from Berlin states that London, December 4th.

The Local Anadoger declares that the Holstein to Denmark including the disc flicted many essualties on the enemy. On Soviet an Leipzig has decided that the tricts of Honderburg and Hadersleben the night of Sept 19-20, when Mossvers Army at Headquarters shall be dissolved and the greater part of Tondern and we retaken by our troops, six of the party.

"KAISER TRUE SOLDIERS.

AMSTERDAM, December 4th. The Rhenisch Westfaclische Zeitung reports that the Ksiser True soldiers British soldiers are under such around twice hauled down the Red Flag on the stances. We had 2 barrages to endure. Stadhouse at Kreumsch and burned it he admitted, the Gorman and the Eng-

ers and Soldiers Council has resolved chap. He was struck by a piece of shell provisionally not to hoist the flag again in going to look for help. Another was proclamation to the troops appealing shis to regain our lines. He is wounded. for patience a little longer and announces The others are rating." This is practically that preliminaries for the big scale land settlement have begun and will be ex-

This provides for the building of hun- the corporal replied:- " I am n t werrydred of thousands of houses upon cheaply acquired land with public funds lent low rates for farmers and gardeners.
Similarly they are building houses in garden suburbs for town workers including those on secienter employments.

THE INTER-ALLIED CONFERENCE

MARSHAL FOCH'S FAREWELL MESSAGE.

Marshal Foch, in a farewell message, expressed his gratitude for the unforget table reception seconded him. It exactly reflected the sincere intimate union between Great Britain and France animating as it did on battlefield, which jointly enabled us whack the common enemy

HEARTY SEND OFF TO MARSHAL

LONDON, December 4th. A crowd of chousands at Victoria Station this morning gave the Allied Representatives to the Inter Allied Confer ence at Downing Street, a very hearty The station was

Angle-French flags and a guard of our from the Grenadiers was drawn up at the entrance. The band of the Scots H.R.H. the Deke of Connaught represented the King. A squadron of scroplanes escorted the

EX-KAISER AND CROWN PRINCE TO BE HANDED OVER

LCapon, December 3rd. It is understood that the Inter-Allied Conference unanimously agreed to demand the handing over of the ex-Kaiser and the Crown Prince, in connection with breaches of international law during was

CONCLUSIONS SUBMITTED TO THE WAR COUNCIL.

LONDON, December 4th. It is authoritatively stated that the conclusions remaked by the Inter-Allied Conference were submitted this morning Professor, Wegener, has communicated to the Imperial War Council for endorse to the Cologne Gazette a conversation he ment before adoption, as agreed items had with the ex-Kalser five day, before of the policy to be pursued at the Peace

The ex Kaiser asserted that Dr. Beth- The Prime Ministers of Canada, Newin the Inter-Allied Conference, attended this meeting, which lasted helf an hour After which the Inter-Allied Conference deliberated lengthily and then the War Council was called in to attend the

> Livit emphatically and unequivocally of the existing loan of Y 2,000,000, It is declared that the Allies absolutely agree, Vgreed that the present loan shall only and have the backing of the Representaives of the entire British Empire, and is confidently anticipated that French and Italian opinion will support the disions reached by the Conference

THE GENERAL ELECTION.

the nominations to-day it is ex  MODEST HERO.

FIFE MINER WHO DEFIED HUNS.

Where is the artist to depict the deathless story of the seven heroes of Minevres Bir Douglas Haig narrated it in one of he recent dispatches. A corporal and 6 men of the 1-5th Batn. Highland Light Infratry, 58nd Division, forming the garrison of one of our posts just north of the village of Moures was surrounded and believed to have been captured. During the Stays or which the Germans were in occupation of Moseves this party, in fact, maintained was rotaken by our troops, six of the party

regained their unit. THE CORPORAL INTERVIEWED. The currespondent of a Franch paper has had a chist with the gallant corporal who was as uncommunicative as mos British soldiers are under such circum it he admitted, "the Gorman and the Engamidst the cheers of the crowds who lish." One of your comrados was killed?"

In order to avoid bloodshed the Work- saked the correspondent. "Yes, a brave all he was able to extract from the heroic corporal. Asked what he might do next,

> ligi I should like to go on leave after mouths in the tranches. The corporal's brigadier was more communicative. "On the evening of, 7th," he said, "when we had evacuated Manvres, the little posts composed of a corporal and 6 men, who he d been placed to the north east of the village, remained where they were. Think of the position! It was situated on the side of little railway by which municions were conveyed. The Grane, were in the other side. The little band remained to fight, and in what omditions! W. sld you and believe it that the brave loys, when they were rescued, wished, in spite of their

flatigue, to join their orandes in the figl ti? ordered them to rest, but they would not. One of them had been killed, arother wounded: 4 are in hespital to re-

CORPORAL DAVID HUNTER Through a letter written to his wife the same of the corporal is now known. It is David Hunter, who before he enlisted was miner at Kin icst, a village near Dunfermime. In his first letter he gave a mode-t account of his defence of the post and says that his work was described by the Brigadier-General as "a geod piece of

work. In-a second is lar he says I am being made a sergeant very soon. and I was told on the quiet last night that I have been recommended for the Victoria Cross, buy I am afraid that is a bit too much; but one never knows.

His chief anxiety seems to be for leave, that he may see his wife, " his darling wee Kan and baby Res.

"I told the French correspondents who came to see me," he writes, "that it was my leave that was worrying me, and one of them told me it would be all right. He took down that I was married and had 2 children, and that I was a miner, and them they took a mapahot of me. I think this will mean a Franch decoration is you bee I am am night it just now.

JAPANESE LOANS TO CHINA

Peking, Nov. 27 A Japanese comnunsque states that the loan of 0.000,000 contracted on October 25 between the Ministry of Communications and the Sino-Japanese Industrial Company was a loss, merely for the renewal and extension for a further three years system, and in order to prevent the increased amount being expended for political purposes, it is provided that the sum of Y 7,000,000 shall be deposited at the Company's Tokio Office so that amounts shall be surrendered to the 

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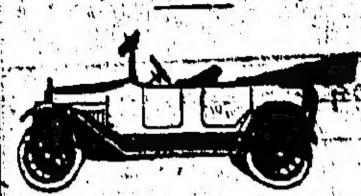
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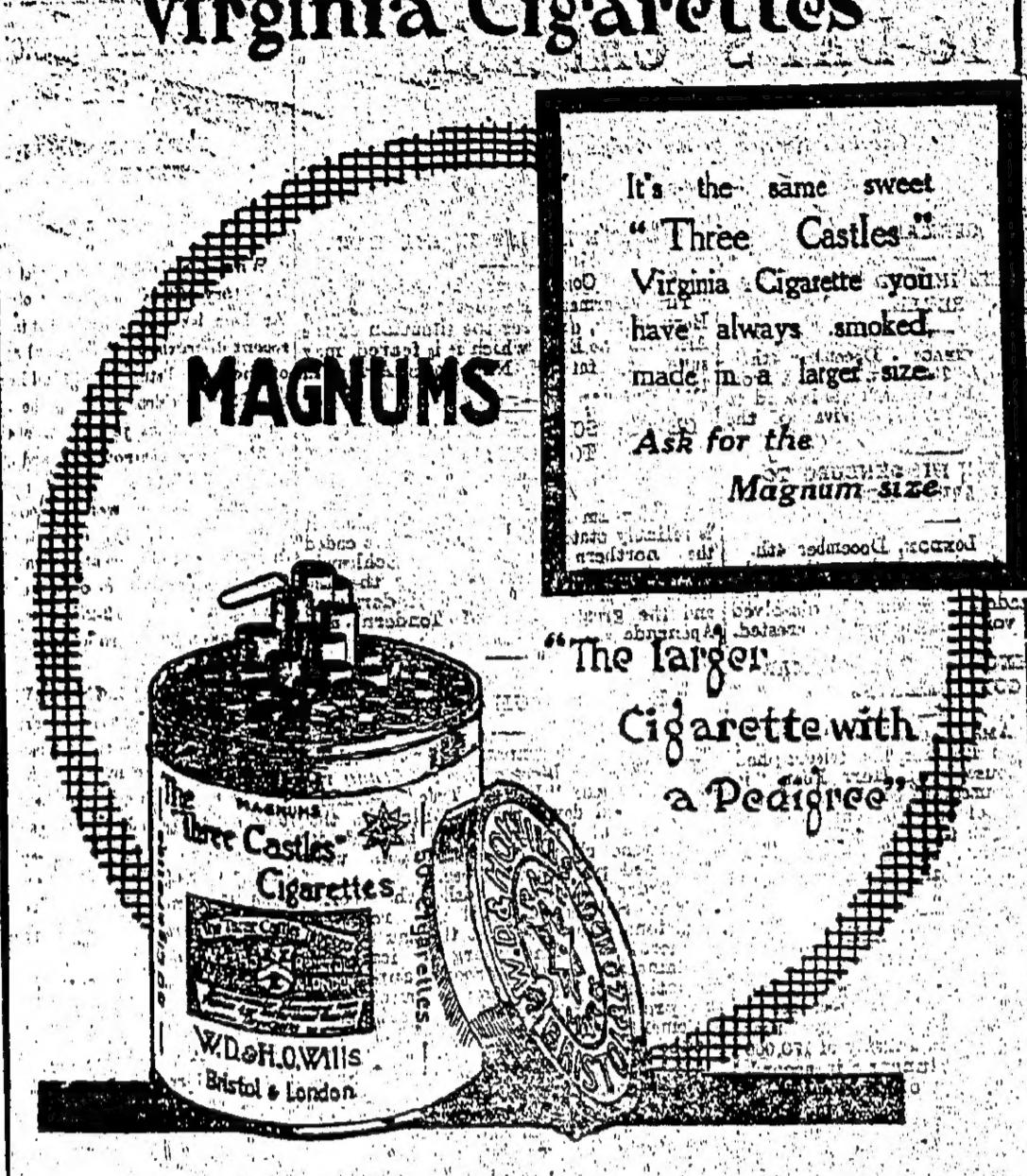
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NEW ATHLETIC RECORD.

A successful attempt was made a Putney by Mr. A. Lehmann, well known member of the Serpentine Swimming Club, to best the record set up year sgo by the Rev. S. Swann: M.A. who completed half a mile each of cycling, and swimming, etc., in 26min. 20 2-5sec. Lehmann, who is of Swiss extruction and is over-20 years younger is now complete without a reference than Mr. Swann, accomplished the fest the in 24min, 1sec., thus beating the previous record by 2min. 19 2-5sec. His times for the several half-miles were as follows: Cycling, 1min. 23sec.; welking, ing, Smin 32 1-5sec.; paddling, Imin. 49sec.; and swimming, 6min. 19 4-bsec.

DEATH DUE TO CIGARETTES.

road, Brixton, a clerk at the Royal Rents Act and the amending Act applies diseases on account of their duties. Arsenal, on whose body an inquest was only to houses under 135 rental in Lon- Under the changed system the Governheld at Newington, was described as an inveterate smoker of cigarattes. He diedsuddenly, and the doctor who made post mortem examination attributed death to syncope accelerated by cigarette

FOOTBALLERS KILLED

the Newport Pill Harriers and Postypool and, like his brother, Harry Uzzell, the West International deceased was a for ward. News has reached Leicent C the deeth from warrels in France

FIRST DANCE SPROE THE WAR.

its first formal dance since the outbreak land belonging to Sir Wilfrid Lawson, of the War. As do to be expected it was has been destroyed by fire, only a part understood, hold further dances at regu- the pictures burned were two portraits

HIS MAJESTY THE BABY.

Miss Mary Macarthur, speeking Glasgow, said she believed that wome for a long time would rote pretty much as the men had voted and would vote. I believe," she added, " that the great force in politics is going to be the boby in which every woman, young and old is deeply interested. Practically eyes political speech nowadays has a reference questions bearing on the welfare children, and, in fact, no political speech

HOUSE PROFITEERING.

When Parliament reasembles attention will probably be called to house profileer-4min. 52sec.; running Smin. beer ! scull- fing in many parts of the country. It is stated that people are making a business don and under £26 in other parts of England and Wales. Where the rent higher the evicted tenant has no remedy against the speculative profiteer.

MR. HAVELOCK WILSON'S PUDDING.

Following on the resolution of the Trades Union Congress of Derby favour-Bgt. Ben Uzzell, the Newport Rughy ing the establishment of National Litfootballer and runner, has been killed in chens, a number of delegates and their great success, was afterwards sent

FAMOUS MANSION BURNED.

The Peking Club a lew days ago held . Brayton, the fine manaion in Cumberbig success and the Club will, it is of the northern wing escaping. Among lar intervals throughout the winter, by Hoppner valued at £5,000 each. good deal of the furniture and plate was saved. An old manor house, Bosyton was enlarged in 1800, and again in 1860, when £80,000 was spent on decorations and landscape gardening

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JAPAN: PROTECTS LABOUR.

The Japanese Government has effected of buying up houses and turning out the a change in the regulation governing the old tenants. At the root of the trouble allowance of ennuities to workmen. is the great shortage of houses. The mine labourers, and other petty on protection offered by the Increase of ployees injured, killed or seized with ment will pay expenses for medical treatment and give allowances for the sup port of sick or disabled workmen's fami-Len. When affected workmen die their families will receive pensions and buris expenses. The amount of bose allow snces has also been increased. This a great improvement on the part of the Government in handling labour.

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WITH A BRITISH SUB-MARINE

THE ART OF STALKING A U BOAT

One of our submarines was on parrol, and as it turned out to be an eventini oruise for her some extracts from her captain's subsequent report will prove to be not without interest.

When in a certain position he sighted an enamy submarine about six miles away, and immediately dived to attack, t was 200 minutes later: when he again sighted the enemy, and altered course to improve his position. He says:-

Continued on this course, closing enemy until 9.30, when, on putting up periscope, enemy was seen to have altered towards us, putting boat fine on his port bow. ... Altered course at full speed and stood by starboard beam

tube to fire as she passed. "On putting up periscope again. however, enemy was seen to have continued his alteration, and was slight. ly on our port quarter. Thinking that I might, not get another opportunity of firing and although the range was great, I followed round and fired the port beam tube. Torpedo did not hit. Proceeded to attack at full speed to get

in with bow torpedoes. . . The enemy again altered course, which brought sights on sooner than was expected. gave the order to fire both bow torpedoes . After the torpedoes had reached

him the enemy altered course and disappeared at full speed." Two days later the British submaring was again busy, for we read : "Sighted enemy submarine on the port bows Dived to attack. . . . up periscope found him hearly bows on. having suddenly altered course. Dived

to cross his bow. On coming up again found I was on his starboard beam. Raised periscope and found sights not quite on ; altered course in order to bring my sights on Raised the periscope again, ready to fire, and found that the enemy had altered course right away from me, and that I was fine on his starboard quarter. Fired the starboard bow tube, as I thought there might be a faint chance of hitting, although the target was very small and

disappeared." EVEN MORE ACTIVE

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In the afternoon of the same day our submarine captain was even more activethan usual At 3.40 he says: "Heard. an under-water explosion and observed a column of smoke three points on the port bow. Came to the surface, and saw that the smoke was a very long way off, but sighted the mast and funnels of a steamer right shead. She was blowing off steam, and did not look normal. Closed on surface and soon saw that the steamer was down by the bow and

stopped. . . . Dived. . . Sighted enemy submarine on starboard bow, apparently just come to the surface and proceeding towards the steamer, which appeared to be abandoned. Pro ceeded to attack . . Enemy passed to southward of steamer and then round the stern. I proceeded round the bow, eighting him again four minutes later I reached the bow of the steamer ... enemy steered towards the stern again. I altered to port to intercept him before

he reached the stern. "Raised periscope and fired both bow torpedoes, One hit midway between conning tower and bow the other midway between conting tower and stern. Enemy submarine sank.

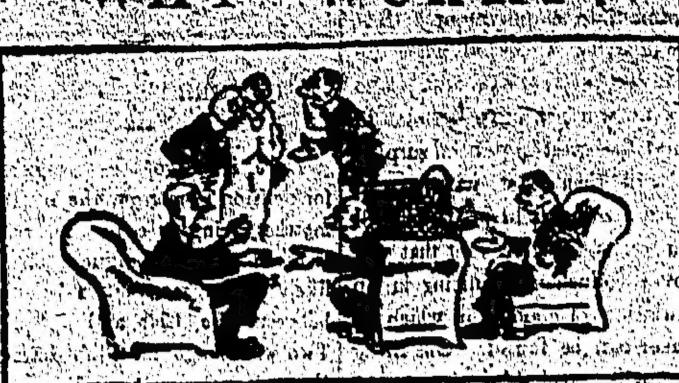
I followed the steamer's lifeboats and brought them back to the steamer. which the master informed me he thought he could get into port. I dived near the steamer.

The report concludes with the sub marine captain's recommendations his ship's company. His feelings on the the subject are admirably summed up in a sentence. "I should like to bring to your notice that the behaviour of all officers and men was excellent, and entirely as expected."-Exchange.

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CRINA\_THE SOLUTION OF POST-WAR PROBLEM.

But the length of the war has shewn absorb our surplus production. making war material as fast as they war the world's demand

this shews that human nature What can probably be counted on possesses a latent surplus of produc- will be a shipbuilding capacity tive capacity equal, or almost equal some eight to ten million tons lies in the fact, that there has been several years elapse before, owing

potentialities of the human race, or, presumably not more than 30,000,000, indifferent. It is not a question of if they did they very much under esti- Against this of course there is the volition but of economic necessity. mated them. In spite of the fact fact that the world's shipbuilding that some twenty millions of men actual capacity is to-day some have been directly engaged in the 14,000,000 tons a year as compared war and their man power thus with with a potential capacity of some drawn from the production of necessi- five to seven million tons a year ties of life, and that a similar number before the war. It has been estimatof millions have been engaged is ed that for some years after the can the output of common necessaries tonnage will be some 60,000,000 shows a remarkably small decrease tons, but in view of the fact that The world rolls on as before and the many of the ship-building plants now human race is by no means starved- in operation are more or less governit is able to support itself. Admitted- mental undertakings and will soon be Police Reserve Fancy Dress Dance. It the war has deprived it of certain abandoned the world's shipbuilding the war has deprived it of certain abandoned the works supporting A number of friends entertained Mr. Staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date of the staff and Date, 5 3 1 1711 8 7 | Marion of the staff and Date of the staff and D cases, of needful commodities. All it is at present, viz: 14,000,000 tons.

to that of all those at present engaged will therefore take some three to four thanks following donations to the Ar Fresco | 83rd Co. in the carrying on of the war. Of years until the demand for tonnage course the explanation of all this has been met. Thus there will be \$25 Sin C. P. Chater, \$50 Wiseman, Lo. FOOTBALL LEAGUE MEATING a severe cutting out of all luxuries lack of tonnego, a greatly increased exand waste, an increased working port can be accomplished. These years efficiency and the employment of will probably be devoted to building a whist drift had been in victoria Bernett Among gower in their League nutely with the confident Prisoner depict in the large nutely with the confident Prisoner depict in the large nutely with the confident Prisoner depict in the large nutely with the confident Prisoner depict in the large nutely with the large nutely with the confident Prisoner depict in the large nutely with the confident Prisoner depict in the large nutely with the confident Prisoner depict in the large nutely with the large nu woman labout. As a result of the up those industries which are now THE LABOUT COME LINE IN THE INTO AWAYS AND STREET AS & TESTILE OF WALL TOPLECTOR billet of unknown and a second of their word out materially not enciency has been increased to a peak to repairing the dame. ob never dramed of beforer And done to broverty Communicate

war socivities. The tasks are an urgent und important that it soems that all men who are demobilized when demobilization does come—will find immediate employment. But then will come a period when the attaction will be very different. The ravages of war will have been made good and the great potential surplus which will then exist, will have to are enough ships to carry the cargo." providing always that there are enough purchasers found for the represented goods in foreign countries. In some ways the world is full and there is Royal Engineers encounter the R G.A. the country and my heart is full very little spare land except. Siberin, Canada and South America This does not mean that every bit of not always fully. After all its other fact both teams are considerably weaker great wars, England has always found, than at any time during the war. If its remedy for overproduction in the both teams can field the best players home-countries in emigration to the they have, a close result may Colonies. But this no longer provides looked for. an adequate remedy for the labour problems which are sure to arise in concerned as compared with the number in previous wars makes this .sldissequi The solution of the problem is to

be found in the development of those countries which are at present the Light Infantrymen were at their portant place. under-developed. These countries best here. will have to be brought up to western standards, whether they want it or not; so that they may become not only members of "a league of nations". but also purchasers of surplus products should manage to dispose of the garrison of other countries. And it is here gunners. where China can prove of immense value to the world. We who live! close, at hand to this vast country are witnessing great changes. Take the Chinese in Hongkong. More and more they are adopting our western ideas and our western ways of living. versus the 83rd Company, R.G.A. has ful is the fact that the employees are The Chinese-owned foreign houses. not of the same high-grade standard and motor cars, the style of dress as before-in a very large proportion the greater freedom given to women, they are women. All this goes to their partaking of our western forms show us that when the production of of amusement and pleasure—even to war material has ceased and the dancing-are all signs of this great A whole power of industry and the man change. And this war has made it Military ground at A p.m. Beieree, Mr. power liberated from the armies are become a nacessity that western ideas Tucker. put to the producing of necessities of and western ways of living must be .. H.K.F.C. v. Royal Navy, on the Club As one looks back on the years of life, the output of these will rise to a encouraged in China. The more war through which we have passed, tremending figure. Now it will be their standard of living is mised, the one of the most remarkable features clearly seen that this enormous more is their purchasing power raised, has been the tremendous activity of production cannot be entirely con- and in them we shall find purchasers production of the nations engaged in sumed in the home country and for our home products. The Chinese R.G.A. on the Club ground at 2.30 p.m. the great struggle. At the beginning over-production with all its attendant soil is capable of more efficient pro- Referee, Mr. Losch. of the war some of our economists miseries will be the result. To avoid duction so as to produce a surplus of predicted that after a few mouths of this it will be necessary for a great agricultural products which may be Reserves, on the Navy ground at 2.30 war the accumulated surplus of export to be established. This gives exchanged for imported industrial p.m. Referee, Mr. Stevenson. necessities (accumulated in the years rise to two important questions as products, and for the handling of this previous to the war), would be to whother we shall have the available trade, harbours will be required to exhausted, and that therefore the war tonnage to do this and also which accommodate the largest ships affort. The League tables giving would end for sheer want of them, parts of the world will be able to China is an ally, but she has not suffered in comparison to the others, appended :that their conclusions were wrong. Before the war the shipping of but her day of opportunity is at hand The economists made a great mistate the world came to 40,000,000 tons, and to the new ideas and perceptions in not taking into account the latent The available tonnage to-day is, it brings withit she cannot remain

# LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Gentlemen making up dinner parties for the Boxing at the Thestee Royal on Saturday, December 14th are remind. H. K. F. C. 2 2 0 0 5 1 ed that the proceedings are timed to commence at 9 p.m. sharp.

A Naval String Band will be in S. China Ath. 2 attendance at the City Hall on Friday. December 13th on the occasion of the

Mori has been Manager here for the Minpon Yasan Kaisha for some time.

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# MESSAGE FROM HER

### TOOTBALL.

TO MORROW'S MATCHES

There is a good programme dow for decision to morrow, the lat. Division be led into other fields. There will matches being in connection with the arisa a crisis from the fact that you United Services League. The match have overproduction, resulting in an likely to be most interesting is that accumulation of goods for which no between the Club and Royal Navy purchaser can be found. One thing Two weeks sgo the Club defeated the which will probably case I the Navy by the only goal scored in a situation is the fact that the great need | Hongkong League match, but to-morrow for export will not be felt until there it might easily happen that the Navy the high privilege of service, they have turn the tables on their opponents Both teams expect to be well

In the other 1st Division match the The keen regimental rivalry that has admiration and gratitude for what always existed between these teams have seen. land is under cultivation but, that bas, of course, snything like the talent every suitable bit is utilized though at its disposal that it had last year,

The Manchesters have wi drawn from the Longues, and the near future. The number of men wise in doing so. They were very weak. fun to see a team soundly trounced week after week. Their withdrawal explodes the prophecy that after succession of defeats they will arise a team to equal the Shropshires when

> In the 2nd Division the Wavy Reserves and the 88th Company, R.G.A. will be the best match of the two. The

Another R.G.A. team in the 87th Company are also angaged, their opponents being St. Joseph's College. Here again it looks as if the gunners will lose the points.

The other 2nd Division match due to have been played to morrow, University been re-arranged and will take place thu afternoon.

The fixture list for to-morrow appended :-

"1st Division, United Services League. Royal Engineers v. R.G.A. on the

ground at 4 p.m. Referee, Co. Sergt. that Mr. Denman Fuller is indisposed Major Praguell, R.G.A.

2nd Division, Hongkong League. St. Joseph's College v. 87th Company,

88th Company, R.G.A. s. Boyal Navy

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COALS

# MAJESTY THE QUEEN

### TU THE WOMEN OF THE EMPIRE.

The Colonial Secretary has sent the following telegram received from the Court this morning. Secretary of State for the Colonies :--in the name of the women of our lands murder of deceased, and found to our men fighting for us across the scabbard, which was the one pro- per cent. secondary schools by 20 per seas. Now in an hour of thankfulness duced in Court, on the south side of cent, and primary schools by 15 per and hope I should like to give a message the torpedo shed.

During the war they have been given risen to the great opportunity, and have proved their courage, steadiastness and

to the women of the Empire.

I have been allowed to watch and appreciate their work in many parts of

should in itself be sufficient to ensure I carnestly trust that though the a game worth watching. Neither team thrill and glamour of war are over the spirit of salf-sacrifice and helpfulserious problems to be faced.

> will depend upon the parents whether - are these opportunities are used to the full-We all rejoice that plans are afoot for

in a lootball sense, and it is no bringing to an end the existence of such bad and crowded housing as makes home life a most impossible.

To-day more than ever the Empire needs her daughters, for, in the larger world of public and industrial work. Station a rifle and scabbard were also women are daily taking a more im-

work whether of head or hands in real sisterhood of suffering and service during the war let us go on working naval team is very strong just now, and together with the same unity of purpose. for the resettlement and reconstruction of our country.

### LEAGUE CRICKET.

### R.C.C. V. C.R.C.

The following will represent the K. O.C. in this mater at 2:15 p.m. on Storeon the K.C C. ground :- J.P. Robinson O. J. Stapleton, C. P. James, H. Phil ipe, A. de Sous, H. Overy, R. Pestenji, K. R. Macaskill, D. M. Goodall, E. J. Edwards and F. Wheeler.

Our resders will be serry to flear n and the Organ Recital fixed for Monday evening next has been postponed. The date will be announced later.

# GOLF.

ROYAL HUNGKONG GOLF: CLU

The draw for the Wodehouse Cups is as follows:-- 1st Round.

Crawford and Mrs. J. W. Stewart.

2nd Round Mrs. G. M. Harston and Mrs. Wakeman. Mrs. Goodban and Mrs. Thursfield v. Mrs. Dreaper and Mrs. Moore or Mrs. Crawford and Mrs. J. W. Stewart

v. Mrs. Ritchis and Miss Wilkinson. Mrs. Adams and Miss Gordon v. Mrs. Middleton Smith and Mrs. Redmond.

The dates for playing the rounds are as follows lst and 2nd rounds Dec. 23rd; 3rd round by Jan. 4th, fina round by Jan. 15th.

LEAGUE CRICKET.

P. W. L. D. F. A. PTS. MANCHESTER REGIMENT

Walker, Maloney and Smith: Reserves: There was a good attandance four the lone of the seends in the position of the lone of the seends in the lone of the seend

### MURDER OF SERGEANT EINFIELD

ACCUSED'S STATEMENT

The case in which Sardullah Khan an Indian constable of the Naval Yard Police, was charged with the murder of Sergeant Harry Linkeld of the same force, was resumed before Mr. J. R. Wood at the Police

Sergeant Baines deposed that A few months ago at the height of I was at the Maval Yard in Nowloon our anxiety and strain I sent a message at I a.m. on November 18, after the statement shows that colleges have in

> dence to the effect that in response to a telephone message from At 3.30 a.m. on the following morn-Station, and at 5 s.m. the deren-Inspector Churcher, Sergeant Allan and another police officer!

found a note-book and three empty cartridge cuses in his left side poc-The curtifice cases colrespondness which it has kindled will not wane in ed to those produced in Court . Fier the coming days. A new era is dawning being formally charged with the femules. Taking an average of the upon the world bringing with it many murder, defendant was looked up. last five years there, work in the difficulties, fresh responsibilities, and On the same morning the bundol er primary stage of instruction over Parliament has secured for the whole left in it was handed over to wit. Ru from the lower primary school to the country greater opportunities of more ness. Witness in his search of the upper. The figures suggest, remarks thorough and varied education but it coalabede a few days later come the statement, that 30 out of every 100 across a, turban on the roof of a pupils in the lower, primary stage, and coal shed and there were also empty | never so beyons that stage, and received cortridge cases new the south-east practically no education." corner of No. 19 coulshed. Two more empty cartridge cases were also found, which witness thought, came either from No. 17 or 18 sheds. On the same morning when prisoner was brought into the Water Police

> handed over to witness. When No. 257, Indian constable 21,310 as against 20,500 in the previous gave evidence of the charge made at year, and the number of scholars J. 230, 419 the Water Police Station by Inspect as against 1,188,140. tor Gordon, the defendant dened having made a statement there to indirect on public instruction in India the effect that he took the rifle down to the sheds and there fired it defend himself. He was warned, he preceding year. Six hundred and fifteen said, to keep silent, and he signed the statement without the contents having been explained to him.

> At this juncture accused expressed a wish to question the Indian Sergeant-Major and Indian constable No. 110. He slieged that the evi dence given by these two witnesses was made up, and extended beyond the actual happenings. Prisoner funds exceeded that of the pro-war year had thought it better not to question by 83 lakhs. thern when they were giving their evidence, but he thought he could do so now, as all the evidence for the presecution had closed.

Witness request was complied with, and in the interval when the witness were being called to the Court the Magistrate informed pr soner that he could make his statement if he so wished, the said statement to be used an evidence when

prisoner was tried at the Supreme PRISONER'S STATEMENT. .The prisoner stated that for two days previous to the day in question he was suffering from a cold and least once during their tour of duty. tried to alleviate it by taking sugar syrup, but without success. On November 18 he took a dose. opium after going from duty at 6

s.m. In the afternoon of the same day before going on duty at 6 o clock on that night, will parade at Central he again took another dose and some tea after which he went to armoury to get his rifle. At that next, December 10th, for inspection by Mrs. Dreaper and Mrs. Moore v. Mrs. having taken the opium, and this Superintendent of Police. Attendance in taking another man's rifle. He had no ammunition in his possession is not made compulsory. Mrs. H. Griffin and Miss Rodger v. I when he went on duty. He and a Uniform: Blue, Caps and Covers. number of other constables were Belts and Riffes marched, by Sergeant No. 76, to their various posts and he was stationed at the main gate on No. I best. Sergeant Linfield was inside will strend at H Q Office on Monday. Mrs. Mailland and Lady Rees Davies the office at the time and was joined December 9th at 5.75 p.m. later by Mr. Nicholas who had come out of the boiler shop. The Indian Sergeant. No. 76; came back and poswer that he had been taken with list will close at 6 p.m.

a cold Later Mr. Nicholas who was walking with Sergeont Linfield in the yard toutside the office went About 11.50 p.m. prisones was at his post when he heard a shot, sww the robbens moving about at the E which prisoner thought was aimed main gate sorbe fired we shots in at him Sergeant Linfield who was that direction . Later he fired four cat the ses front at the time told thin other shots at render and was mist to run Prisoner was confused from by a volley of shots from the grand Manchester Regiment to-morrow against the contin he took, and did not He then beard a convenation going the R. Ra. at Happy Valley -2nd Lieut. clearly make out what bappened on down below, and from this he was He thought the shot was fired by made aware dithe fact that he war Sergts. Bilson, Goodman, Hall and a band of robbers. Prisoner went suspected for the minder Later Reenan Col Harden, Lic Ellarby, Ptas. Straight to the office and he recol he heard he name called, and he rossession of the bandolist contain then knew that it was the Indian ing the 50 rounds of amountaion, Sergeant-Majora who spoke. In the Sergt Canavan and Pte. Newey: Last he feared that it might fall into sponse to an order he came down CRAIGENGOVER & UNIVERSITY | the inches haple Premer then from the sted and found the Indion intended to make for the quarters Sergeant-Major and Commended

# THE PROGRESS OF INDIAN EDUCATION

### INCREASE IN SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

The department of atatistics has issued s statement showing the educational proha grees of India, in statistical form, during the quinquentium anding 1915-17. The a crossed during the last five years by four cent. The number of scholars has in Inspector Gordon next gave evi- cressed 61 per cent; in colleges, 28 per cent in secondar schools, and 17 per the cent. in primary schools. The total Kowloon Yard ot 11.20 p.m. on number of institutions rose from 189,643 November 18, he went over there. in 1915-18 to 192733 an 1916-17, the present total of scholars being 7,851,948. ing he returned to the Water Police Institutions for males in British Indiain 1916-17 numbered 171,435 and for dant was brought into the station females 21,3:11. The number of male: scholars last year was 6,611,527 and of femals 1,200,419 in a population of more Witness searched defendant and than 244,000,000. The percentage of students to the population is 13 per cent, in the case of meles, wand one per cent in the case of with the 21 rounds of ammunition 6,00 ,100 boys, of whom only if per cent.

> There was unincressed in the number of students in the arts and penfessional colleges. There were of arts, seven oriental and seven professional colleges sided and 23 arts and 10 professional colleges unsided. The number of institutions for females in 1916-in was

The total expenditure, both direct and during 1916-17, mounted to 11 1-4 crores to as against il crores, il lekhe in the lakhs, or 55 per cent. of the total expenditure in 1916-17 was met from p.o. vincial revenues, and from local aid and municipal funds; 319 lakhs or 28 per cent. fees, and the balance, 196 lakhs or 17 per cent was provided by subscriptions, andowments, and miscellaneous receipts. The expenditure from public

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Orders traved by Mr. F. C. Jenkin, C.B.E.

## SEARCH SUPERVISORS

Visiting Inspectors, Central District, are re red to visit the Wharves at and to enter their visits in the Occurrence Book at the Harbour Office.

## INSPECTION:

All ranks, except patrolmen for duty Station at 5.15 p.m. sharp on Tuesday time he was not in his proper senses, the Hon. Mr. Mcl. Messer, Captain accounted for the mistake he made by 2nd Shift patrolmen is called for, but

> Inspectors will wear belts and swords. Company and Platoon Commanders

PANOY DRESS DANCE The invitation Committee will not reported all correct. Prisoner felt attend at H.Q. Club on Tuseday very cold so he put on his cape. The Pecember 10th, as advertised. They Indian Sergeant poticed this and will attend instead on Wednesday. questioned prisoner who returned the December 11th, when the invitation

### ALLIES TO END CHINA MILITARISM.

MR. RAYMOND RADCLYFFE'S OPINIONS.

"For the sake of peace in the Far East, "Great Britain and the United States must combine to destroy the present military autocracy in China, and Japan must help them." That, in brief, is the view of Mr. Raymond Radelyffe. a wel known financial writer of London, who s now returning to England after more than a year spent in study of the Chinese situation. Mr. and Mrs. Radelyffe rea ched China a year ago last November. and since that time they have travelled in nearly all the provinces of the Republic.

Mr. Radelyffe is now recalled to preeent his views on the conditions in China to a conference which will meet in Loudon, Mrs. Radelyffe will resume her work as nurse in the operation theatre of the Officers' Hospital in London.

It is a gloomy picture of internal -strife and wholesale brigandage that Mr. but had been robbed by soldiers. Redelyffs gave to a representative of the Witness told him to return home, Japan Advertiser on the 7th inst. at the but he said that as he had also lost Imperial Hotel.

followed the attempt of Chang-hours to his loss and if he did not succeed. put the young Emperor on the throne, he would die away from home. it seemed to me," said Mr. Radelyffe, decensed then invited witness weeks ago when he was pardoned.

leans they like. There is nubody to Wuchow. When they returned, they gainsay them. Then, soon after the found the deceased lying dead with rebellion, civil war broke out, and it is the girdle round his neck. still going on. Up to the present, the principal tenant's wife reported South has certainly been holding its matter to the police, and they were -own and has got all the southern pro- arrested; witness did not murder the vinces, including Szechnan, completely deceased. in hand; but the real trouble in China is that the soldiers are under no sort of discipline. When the Tuchuns get the first hearing both the second and and accomplished many other important. Shanghai ...... Wyatt Passenger Tangomoney to pay their soldiers, they pu the money into t own pocket first accused's arrest claiming that Eand let the soldiers loot is lied of pay. he had nothing to do with the Consequently, there is hardly a pro murder. since in the whole of China that is not infested with "brigands." These are made by the accused at the Police thousands of dollars worth of land for really soldiers under another name. They bold up travellers, rob trains and .levy toll from the unfortunate peaceful

inhabitants. "It is said that in Szechran there are - no less than 50,000 brigands under some secret of military discipline, who are living upon the country. This state of affairs has totally disorganized the normal condition of commerce of the Chinese Ropublic.

', In many of the provinces, the Tuchurs have attempted to seize the salt of customs, but up to the present they have fortunately failed. Their power, cough loose and expectoration ensy however, is still unbroken. For example by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the province of Szechuan, which before also liquify the tough mucus and make the revolution was the richest in China. the revolution was the richest in China, , produced large quantities of salt, which at exported to the surrounding provinces and out of which it made a large profit. This salt trade had been regulated under laws which were passed more than a half-century ago in the late China dynasty.

TAX ON SALT TRADE

"A few month ago, the Tuchum of Hupeh, who has a son interested in the sult trade at Tientsin, decided to put a probibition tax on all salt sent over the border of Szechuan into Hupeh! He did this with the definite intention of preventing the Szechuaness from selling salt in his province. When the salt merchante protested, he pused an edic, compelling the people of Hupeh to buy their salt from Tientsin, 2,000 miles .-away. By this method he put money into pockets of his own family and grained the most important trade in the richest province of China.

"From this narrative of what a Tuchun did, Mr. Radcylffe turned to description of the Tuchun in general. As a rule they are quite illiterate. he said, and many of them cannot read or write. Some were leading bands of robbers only a couple of years ago.

"Their soldiers," said Mr. Radelyffe, tere under no discipline and, make whatever money they can Until the power of these military governors is

anxious to make peace between the it is impossible to praise too highly the North and the South, but it should not past policy of the United States in regard be forgotten that he was one of the to China. I am sorry to say, however, nigera of the late premier Tuan Chi jui also that this same president a few months before he took office, invited an other Tuchun to tiffin and shot him in the back yard, an act of hospitality which was accepted by the late minister as quite comme il faut, and the murder was condoned by an edict published in

the official gazette.

LIKE HANDFUL OF SAND "China is like a handful of sand," con- Japan is a great nation and her rulers tinged Mr. Radelytie. "Its component parts will not combine. There does not appear to de any real patriotism as the westernar accepts the term. Every nation be sllowed to disturb the peace Ukinese man you meet curses the rule of the world as did Germany, Japan is the military Tuchung of In the North, at any rate, every Chinese man longs for a great inditary nation, but she also Balm, is promptly applied. It is an return to power of the Imperial family. Possesses keen commercial instincts, antiseptic and destroys the germs which Devertheless no Obinese will kin with She will have to give up her support of cause these disease. It also causes any other Chinese to effect the necessary militarism in Chine and work hand in political reforms. The vest metwork of secret secreties it only used by selfish politicisms for their dwn ends

### PENNINGTON STREET MURDER

Yesterday afternoon saw the conclusion of the Pennington Street murder case which had been occupying Mr. Wolfe's attention since

The third accused swom said he was 24 years of age and was a mitive Kwangsi. He lived at No. 2 ennington Street. Leong San was oot killed by him. Witness and the other two accused together with a man named Yeong On and the de ceased went to Wuchow together and there started business. Witness entrusted Yeong On with a sum \$1,200 to buy foreigh dried goods for their business but he (Yeong On absconded. Witness did not see Leong San for a long time after they arrived in Wuchow. One day witness met him and in the course of conversation, witness told Yeong On had run away with his money. The deceased said to ness he had been dealing in opium his friend's money, he did not want DESTRED EMPERORS RETURN. "to go back. He would stay away "In the political "upheaval which from home, until he had recovered

return of the Emperor, but that Chang help him in his, opium business. theun would not give the other Tuchuns Witness would not come, but after .sufficient plunder, so they turned round the deceased had guaranteed him a at the last moment and opposed him job here," witness consented. After He had to take refuge in the Dutch some days here, the deceased suid Legation, where he remained until a few he could not find his friend and by the meeting. A number of new therefore could not raise money to "The Tuchung really run China, you start business. On November, 9, know, and have complete control over witness went with the other accused the government, and can make whatever to see about their passages back to

> Mr. Longinotto called his Worship's attention" to the fact that at of territory in the Greater Richmond third accused protested against the things, besides making Richmond and

Court were entirely different from factories and for public uses, including their present stories which were more or less identical and had probably been made up while in custody.

All three accused were committed to sand their trial at the Criminal

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cough to careful to keep th easier to expectorate. It has been sed successfully in many epidemics and it contains no narcotic or other jurious substances it is perfectly safe. sale by all Chemists and Store-

"If China is to have peace, and unless she obtains peace she is finished as a nation, she must combine to destroy militarism. The United States, Great Britain, France and Italy have combined to crush the militarism which threeened Europe, sud it is certain that it Allies wish to preserve their trade in the Celestial country they will have to combine and force China to govern herse'l on decent lines. The present

snarchy must be destroyed. "Japan during the pest year has been ending large sums to China and I'm afraid that a great deal of the money so ent has been used by the North to fight the South. A large part of it has gove into the pockets of the politicians; hardly any of it has been used for in-dustrial purposes. I should estimate that 70 per cent. of the money lent by Japan to China has been wasted.

CHINA'S TRADE TO JAPAN. "But Japan has by the lending of this money acquired a very important posi-tion in the Chinese Republic Before the European War, Great Britain did 50 per cent of China's trade. To day Japan has taken a large part of that trade. The United States before the war had sequired many very important railway concessions. She had spent millions of dollars in charitable enterprises and had done everything that could be done broken, there can be no hope for China, to help China and had done it without "The new president professes to be any selfish motives whatever. Indeed that I could find very little gratitude in Ohina for the help of the United States. The railway plans are not moving at all and the immense benefactions appear to

out no ice in the Chinese mind. MILITARISM IS DEAD. Great Britain and the United States have high stakes in China. For the sake of peace in the Far East they must combine to destroy the present military autocracy; and Japan must belo them. must see that militarism is as dead as Queen Anne. Never again will any a great military nation, but she also hand with her whetern fille if Chine is

### ERA OF INDUSTRY FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

SHIPPING AND FACTORY DEVELOPMENT.

The highest optimism concerning shipping and manufacturing development around San Fancisco bay with the establishment of peace was expressed at the annual meeting of the Richmond Industrial Commission. This organization, known as one of the strongest city development bodies in California, being permanently established and equipped for effective work, has been identified with the growth of Richmond for more in than a decade and its achievements are a part of the history of this city's splendid progess.

Reports were made to the effect that all information from expert sources sustained the belief that immediately following establishment of peace, San Francisco bay would be the center of one of the biggest shipping and manufacturing developments; the West had yet seen. Even now, it was reported, agents of Eastern capital are looking over this field so as to have full information on the best locations and sites. that the bulk of the Chinese desired a come with him to Hongkong and The Government free port project was also discussed, it being the opinion that a free port will be established on this

> Plans for work shead were discussed manufacturing propositions are in hand, waiting the end of the war. The Richmond Industrial Commission has: located a majority of the larger plants. that are in the city, among them being the Pullman shops, the Certain-Teed Products Corporation plant, the bathtub factory and others. The organization has established the inner harbour as a Government project, effected appearation its advantages known all over the West | Kobe ....... by advertising and publicity. Individ-His Worship said the statements ual members have made gifts or schools, and have done a vast smount of

### AMAZING QUANTITY OF WAR MATERIAL.

Acting Secretary Crowell has given out amazing figures showing the amount of engineering, was material shipped to General Pershings srmy-

The detailed statement follows: Rails and accessories, standard gauge track, 213,000 tons. Rails and accessories, narrow gauge

track, 64,000 tons. Structural steel, 45,000 tons. Corrugated iron, 7,000 tous, Barbed wire, 16,000 tons.

Lumber, ties, stringers and piles, 57,000 tons, Wall board, 2000 tons.

Expanded metal, 5,000 tons." Wails, 10,000 tons. Wire netting, 2,000,000 square yards... Paint, 1,200 tons.

Burlap, 3,000,000 square yards. Fish netting, 1,300.000 square yards. Steel warehouse sheds, 2,000,000 square feet (for covering).

Pontoon equipment for three divisions shipped and equipment for thirty-six additional divisions now being freighted. Machinery, 8015 tons." Glass and equipment, 374,972 tons. Office supplies, 460 tons

Automobile and truck supplies, 463 Track and ties 1146 8 tons Locomotive and cars, 5,117. Water service supplies, 31,921 tons. Electric service machinery, 1,273 tons Construction work, 12,869 tons. Barges, 650.

Miscellaneous, 49,199 tons.

REVIVAL OF BEE-REEPING.

A revival of bee keeping, which has been at a low ebb for some years owing to the Isle of Wight disease, is likely.

Investigations of the Food Production Department and the British Bee keepers Association suggest that at an early date a strain of bee may be produced which will be practically immore from the

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JOURNALISTS AND PARLEAMENT.

At the conference of the Institute of Journalists of Leeds, it was decided that the council should consider the desirability of gotting into touch with the Party Whips with a view to recommend. ing suitable journalists for Parliament

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### ONLY \$100,000 FOR PEACE DELEGATES?

It is reported that the amount appropriation set aside by the Government for the expenses of China's peace delegation to Europe is fixed at \$100,000 The Pelan Londer commenting of

This surely is too niggardly and unworthy of our national dignity. Is this the reason why Mr. Lou Tsengtaiang's party was cut down from a score to one-fourth of its original size?

If we remember correctly, China's delegates to the international Prison Reform Congress in Washington, eight years ago, were allowed an appropriation of The SO,O'Q. That were comparatively small gathering and our delegation consisted of three persons.

On if we so still further lack, Prince Pu Lun and his party to the St. Louis Exposition (U.S.A.) in 1904 were allowed an appropriation of The 100,000 That was a commercial exhibition and our lelegation numbered less than a handful

Yet, here is China's delegation to the Peace Conterence in Versailles allowed Kowloos Gravita- i eff. ein below o ft. i in below tios. Reservoir. only \$100,001

Considering that the price of things in Europe has gone up at least five times as high as it was before the War, it seems almost criminal to send delegates to the world's specb-making congress with an insufficient slowance.

Surely, the expenses of the other Basociate delarates - mamely, the Chinese ministers sheady in America" and Europe are not expected also to be par out of this sum!

We admit that China is not rich, but where there is a will there is a way. If the Gorernment were willing to throw away \$15,000,000 a month to keep up the insensate fratricidal struggle of the last 12 months, surely it is not unreasonable to snevest that \$10,000 is unworthy of China's delegation to

the Peace Conference. For the sake of our national dignity and with full appreciation of what will be demanded from our peace delegates. we urge the Government to increase their allowance to \$1,000.000. And this especially as China is to be treated on an equal legal footing with the other great Powers

Only one case of communicible diseases as been reported during the twenty-four hours ending the Ath. inst -a case of enterie fever, Chinese.

A dramatic treat in in store for Canton Theatre, goon at the Club Theatre on Tuesday evening next, when the great Fox Masterpiece "When a man Mes Red " wi be screened. The programme will b rendered further attractive by the addition of the screeningly found two part Comedy "Max wants a Divorce."

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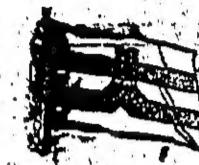
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Furthermore, the Management is not idle at all shout the consolidation of the hold on various new lines against the

keen post bellum competition. In passing, the Toyooka Maru and the Nagano Mary have been selected as the extras for Europe via Suez for December-- M. D. News

### Million Section Se OUR SHIPPING OUTPUT.

The tonnage of merchant vessels completed in United Kingdom yards and entered for service lluring August, 1918, is given below. The increase during the past 12 months, as compared with the tonnage completed in the year ended August, 1917, is 58-1,170 tons, or more than 61 per cept.

Completions. Gross Toos. January ...... 48,080 ..... 58,568-February ...... 70.451 ..... 100.008 March 118.600 ..... 181.674 April ..... 7 607711 ..... 111,533 May - 11. 12. 20,770 12. 197,274 June 100,847 ..... 184,159 July 83,078 141,948 August ..... 102,000 ..... 124,675

Total 8 months to Aug. 31... 680,703 .....1.029,569

Total 12 months. to Aug. 81... 928,470 ....1,512,640 The Controller-Generals of Merchant Shipboulding remarks that the reduction from July is partly still abtributable to influenzs in the yards. The plans made to incresse skilled debour in the yards. he says " have been frustrated by the esents of the past four or five months on the Western front. I am pleased to say, however, that there is early probability of a reduction of the present naval programme, which will result in a transference of men to merchant, work. I have returned from extended tours of inspecion of all the principal shipbuilding

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centres and I am confident that the

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end of the year. I am of the opinion.

that the output will then improve:

The Japanese business at Shanghar, in their joint names, have asked the Tokyo Champer of Commerce to exercise their god offices to the end of increasing the existing tonnage of 28,000 to 40,000 tons. It is stated in the representation that the existing tonnage on the Japan-Shanghai service falls isr too short of coping with the present congestion which will become more serious on the forthcomming arrival of consumments of raw cotton for Japan at Shanghai, and that an increased tonnage is to be beartly desired to be maintained throughout the year for the development of the trade relations between Japan and South

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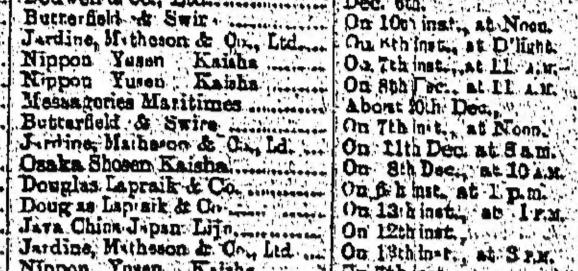
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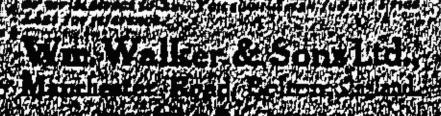
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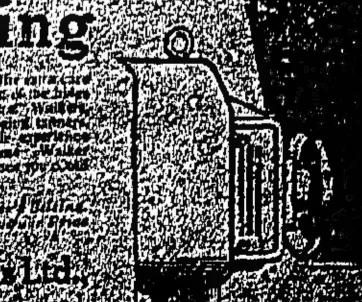
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### A NEW MOVEMENT.

AMSTERDAM, December 3rd. Berlin states that a nervous feeling owing to an anticipated coup état by the Spartacus Group, of which sinister signs are apparent. Spartacus action was probably precipitated by the Government and the Congress of Greater Berlin Soviets passing a resolution favour of the convocation of the Constituent Assembly.

SOLF'S RESIGNATION: An official statement from Berlin states that the Executive Committee for Greater in understanding with Executive Committee, resolved to demand the immediate resignation of Dr. Solf and his replacement by constant opponent of the old system and the war policy; also an assurance that Herr Erzberger will not participate in pence négotiations.

FINANCIAL PANIC STILL PREVAILING.

AMSTERDAM, December 3rd. A telegram from Berlin says that the Rhenish Westfaclische Zeitung reports that considerable financial panic is still prevailing in Berlin.

The people are continuing to withdraw from the Bank and post office deposits. Payments of rates and taxes have ceased in Greater Berlin since the revolution. KAISER MUST NOT RETURN.

The ex-State-Secretary, Herr Dernburg, addressing a combined political demonstration at Mandeburg, declared that the members of the Dynasties must not return "DOWN WITH EISNER.

COPENHAGEN, December 2nd. A telegram from Munich states during yesterday's revolutionary celebrations, welcoming the home-coming troops, some of his own partisans hissed Herr Eisner, whilst, at, a subsequent concert, at which one of Herr Eisner's friends tried to speak, he was obliged to decamp, Later the crowd removed the Red Flags. the Department of the Interior shouting: "Down with Eisner.

THE ARMISTICE.

TO RECOVER 1871 LEVY.

Paris, December 3rd. The Paris Municipal Council is unani mously in favour of recovering from Germany the 200,000,000 francs levied on

> BRITISH WAR PRISONERS RETURN.

Paris in 1871, with interest.

the Armistice

London, December 3rd. Over 40,000 British war-prisoners have arrived in England from Germany since

MARSHAL FOCH'S ULTIMATUM.

COPENHAGEN. December 3rd. telegram from Berlin states that Marshal Foch sent an ultimatum to the German Armistice delegates, demanding the handing over of the best and stronges ocomotives. The ultimatum expired on December 2nd, but the result is not yet

The Vorwaerts and other German newspapers emphasise that there is no hope of the prolongation of the Armistice, and if acceptable civil order is not established

the Allies will occupy Germany. THE INTER-ALLIED CONFERENCE.

REPRESENTATIVES HEARTILY CHEERED.

LONDON, December 3rd. The Inter-Allied Conference resumed at 10, Downing Street, this morning. A huge crowd again very heartily cheered the British and Allied representatives, especially Marshal Foch. Prior to the Conference, the Imperial War Cabinet met, the Premier presiding. Sir Rich-ard Borden, Mr. W. M. Hughes and other Dominion Representatives were

ENDED

LONDON, December 3rd. The Inter-Allied Conference ends today and the Allied delegates leave to-DELIBERATIONS CARRIED ON

WITHOUT A HITCH. LONDON. December 3rd. It is authoritatively stated that the deliberations of the Inter-Allied Con-

ference were carried out without a hitch and that definite and important conclusions were reached. The Conference broke up at six and

winds up to-morrow. The crowd did not disperse all day long. There was a brilliant gathering when the French Embassy gave a reception tonight to M. Clemencenu and Marshal Foch, who were accorded a thrilling wel-

Clemenceau evoked cries astonishment and consternation by the disclosure that he was instrumental appointing Marshal Foch Chief of the General Staff. Marshal Foch had pre-

viously occupied a Command. In a speech, Marshal Foch said that the Armistics had interrupted an offensive which would have ended disastrously for the enemy.

> WAR RISKS INSURANCE DISCONTINUED.

LONDON, December 3rd. Press Bureau states that of Trade is discontinuing the issue of War Risks Insurances on cargo. RELIGIOUS SERVICES AT HOME.

LONDON, December 3rd. The Archbishops of Canterbury and York have appointed Commemoration Services for the Fallen on December 29th and Thanksgiving Bervices for Victory on January 5th.

THE SILVER MARKET.

LONDON, December 3rd. Mesers. Montage & Co. s report, dated November 28th states that the market is inactive but steady in tone. Two million ounces, purchased in America and held here for months pending licences for shipment has been consigned to China. The Bhanghai exchange skows little

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Router's Service to the China Mail.) THE RUSSIAN CHAOS.

OMSK GOVERNMENT ASSUMES LEABILITIES.

THE HAQUE, December 3rd. The Russian Provisional Government at Omak has telegraphed to the Dutch Government, confirming the statement that the Provisional Government has as sumed all the liabilities of the Russian Treasury... The payment of interest on loans, etc., would be made when Russia proceed by tram to Canteway bay. is re-united.

M. RADEK'S HOPE. LONDON, December 3rd. A" telegram from Burlin states that the Russian Commissary, M. Radek, that the Entente would not able to interfere in South Russin before He hoped that Germany would be Russia's ally before then.

EUROPEAN ECONOMIC EQUILIBRIUM. Paris, December 3rd. The French Press discusses the question disorder in Russia and states that the European economio equilibrium depends

upon the wheat in the Ukraine. ONWARD MARCH OF BOL "SHEVISM.

Paris, December 3rd. Haves message says: Nations such as the Czecho-Slovaks oland and Roumania cannot be created vith the present existence of Bolshevism It is the duty of the Entents to place at the disposal of the partisans of order military force protecting them against the army of the Bolshevists. With the Entente force as a nucleus a Russian Army could be created. "

THE ALLIED OCCUPATION.

AMERICANS IN TREVES.

LONDON, December 3rd The inhabitants of Treves received the Americans with frigid streets are patrolled by the Soldiers' and Council Police with reversed The people appeared well nourished and are not suffering from want of Food supplies in the restaur any kind. ants are plentiful

Before evacuating the Dobrudia completely machinery and stole all the foodstuffs.

An American communique states:--Our Third Army has reached Krewinkel-Metterich-Rievenich-Mors cheid—Hirschfelderhof line. Our troops have occupied Treves.

ADVANCE PROCEEDING

METHODICALLY. LONDON, December 3rd. A Belgian communiqué states :-The advance is proceeding methodical

Our cavalry entered Juliers. infantry reached the Chapelle-Eupen Line, Calm reigns in the occupied localities.

FRENCH PRAILWAYS.

PARIS-LILLE SERVICE

WORKING. Paris, December 3rd.

musketry parades will not, be Havas message says:-Beginning from to-day the mail train runs between Paris and Lille. Some time will be required before all North France is in working order.

Administrative Orders by Major H. A. Mordan, Administrative Commandant.

No. 300 Pie. G. R. Haywood and No. 976 Ptc. S. T. Williamson are transferred from "A" Company to the Engineer Company, dated 4,12.18. No. 541 Pte. L. S. Smith is transferred from "B" Company to "D" Company, dated

Pte. C. J. Higginbotham, Signalling Section, is granted 6 months leave.

from 30th December, 1918. EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION.

This will take place on 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st December. Names of candidates not already sent in are to be forwarded to the Adjutant by 11th December.

Orders for Arillery Company, by Captain J. H. W. Armstrong, Y.D.

PARADES AT RELORERS BATTERY

Monday, 9th December 5.15 p.m-Left Half Coy, Full drill. Tuesday, 10th December 7.30 a.m. Right Half Coy. New Layers' Class

Friday, 13th Decomber 7.30 a.m. Right Half Coy. Full drill. 5.15 p.m. Left Half Coy. New D. R. F. & Layers" Classes only.

Orders for Engineer Company, by Ceptain W. Russell.

1.—All Classes and duties are cancelled from 5th December, 1918, until farther orders. 2,-All travelling claims must be sent in by Oth December, 1918, or they wil

3.-N.C.Os and men in possession of ong rifles which have not been returned to Eleadquarters for inspection must send them in at once

Orders for Infantry Botts for by Majo H. L. Morgan.

Any N. C. Os and men of the Machine Gun Company and Mounted Section who cannot attend on lot December must parade on 8th December with "B" Company, as below.

PARADIS. " A " Company. Tuesday, 10th December, 530 p.m. Vos. 1, 2, 3, 4 Platoons on Polo Ground Company Drill Dress, Drill Hongkong residents parade out-Cricket Club at 5.10 p.m. an

"B" Company. Sunday, 8th December, 8.15 a.m.los, 5, 6, 7 and 8 Platoons, (excep men over 50 years of age) outside Kow. a.m. The special train will return at

5.58 p.m., reaching Kowloon at 6.40 Dress - Marching order. Greatcoats to be rolled. Helmets for Topess to be worn. Waterbottles filled. to be taken in havertacks. Ammunition will be provided at Lown. entraining or detraining without orders Tuesday, 10th, Dec. 4.15 p.m. No.

Part 3, Practice 13, 14 and 19. Dress, rill order with pouches. Wednesday, 11th Dec. 4.15 p.m. No. 6 Platoon at King's Park Range Annual Musketry Course Part

Practices 13, 14 and 19, Dress Thursday, 12th, Dec. 1.15 p.m. No. 7 Platoon (except N.C.Os and men who wish to fire at Quarry Bay) at King's Park, Range. Annual Muskatry Course, Part 3, Practices 15 and

Dress as above. Friday, 13th December. 4.15 p.m. No. 6 Plato on at King's Park Range Annual ' Musketry Course. Part Practices 15 and 16. Dress, as above.

MACHINE GUN COMPANY Monday, 9th December -5,10 p.m. Nos. 1 and 2 gun teams at Kowloon Docks. Hongkong residents proceed by aunch from Statue Pier at 4.30 p.m. Tuesday, 10th December.-7.10 an

No.#1 gun team at Headquarters. Friday, 13th December. -5.10 p.m. Nos. 4 and 5 gun teams at Head parters. Dress for all parades, Clean fatigue with shorts and putties. MOUNTED SECTION.

Monday, 9th December .- 4.15 p.m. At King's Park Range. Annual Muske try Courses, Part 2, Practices 8 and 9 Dress, drill order with pouches.

"B Commany. Tuesday, 10th December. -5.15 p.m Nos. 1 and 2 Sections at Headquarters. Musketry instruction. Dress, drill or-

der with pouches and dummies. Nos. 3 and 4 Sections at Headquarters." Musketry instruction. Dress, Drill order with pouches and dummiest. Note Leave to be absent from parades must be obtained before the

except in special cases. Tuesday, 10th and Friday, 13th Dec. 5.15 p.m. Recruits of all units except "D" Company at Headquarters, under Sergts. Oxberry (Tuesday) and Edmonds (Friday). Dress, drill order.

Orders for Cadet Company, by 2nd Lient. J. E. W. Beard.

STRENTH.

Cadets J.S. Johnstone and G. Coulter,

joined on 5.12.18 and are posted to No. I Section. Cadet A. F. May, joined on 5.13.18 and is posted to No. 2 Section. Cadet J. H. Balean, oned on 5.12.18. and is posted to No. 2 Section. Cadets R. W. Cordon and S. Searle, joined on 5.12.18 and are posted to

No. 4 Section. Monday, 9th December .- 5.15 p.m. Nos. 1 and 2 Sections at Headquarters.

5.15 p.m. Band practice at Headrusrters. Wednesday, 11th December .- 5.15 p.m. Nos. 3 and 4 Sections at Yaumati Football Ground.

5.15 p.m. Band practice at Head G. E. STEWART, Captain,

Adjutant, H.K. Defence Corps. Hougkong, 6th December, 1918.

NOTICES.

Corpe Rifle Meeting .- Programmes are now in the printer hands and will be issued shortly. O. C. Companies and Piatoons are requested to send to Lance Corpl. F. A. Wells, not later merely stated that Lt. Auton had won the men composing their teams in t team shoots.

Man Sang Ching Jeweller at No a men to whom he entrusted as quantity of jewellery to the value of \$1,324.35 the purpose of negotiating a sale, be absconded with the jewellery

in No. 5. Connaught Boad, has reported to the police that two men accorted him THE BEST COUGH MEDICIN as he was carrying his masters him clore Commanger Toda Twe of being to the Line Line of the Line of along Connaught Road Une of them attle from his person \$6.50 and a watch speedily and effectually of sale by Alleed at \$1:

VICTORY FESTIVAL IN PEKING

MOST BRILLIANT FUNCTION ON RECORD

The official celebration of the conclus ion of posco was the most brilliant function of its kind in the history of China. The attendance was enormous and the men en scene was excellent. Th Allied troops stoods at oase at 11 o'clock in the great courtyard of the Tair Ho lien facing the footway leading to the Palace, which is one of the finett examples of Chinese architecture. In the brilliant sunshine it appeared its best, with its white palisades tier above tier, thronged with guests. Brilliant uni forms of various mations and a generous loon Railway Station and proceed to display of Allied flags lent additional Lowu by special train leaving at 825 brightness to the sceme, enhancing the general effect.

The troops were very smart, especially the American Murines and the Indiana, who never moved during the interval while awaiting the arrival of the President, while their dispositions showed regard for the colours of their uniforms and the height of the men. The interva Platoon (except N.C.Os and men who ended by the command "present arms," wish to fire at Quarry Bay) at King's the bands struck up and the President closed the doors. A pilot lamp was the Park Range. Annual Musketry Course, followed by the Diplomatic Corps and enly light. The effect of the salt water Cabinet Ministers, passed through the on the electro batteries was to generate Thereupon the Allied flags were marched overpowering. The water had short to the terrice in front of the terrace on circuited the electric current, so that which the President emerged and read

the following address :-"This is a day just aftervictory, a day of celebration thereof, which I, the President, am delighted to attend. Weapons bave now been laid aside and pleace reigns again. Violence has been defeated and right has been justified, and a new glorious page has been written in the history of the war. Allied soldiers as well as Chinese join me in rejoicing. for we are of one heart and principle. There are sayings in Europe such' at Might cannot conquer right Pride comes before a fall." Compare these with some Chinese maxima such as soldiers fighting for right might are weak, also one striving to fingers. He once more opened the do right gain, assistance while the one doing wrong gets the least aid . etc. Both foreign and Chinese histories show conning of the hatch. The air in this the truth of these maxims. When man strives with man there is individual competition, when nation strives with nation there is national rivalry, but right should always be the deciding factor. If one man attempts to trample upon right the nations must oppose Friday, 13th December, 5.15 p.m. him; therefore, the Allies supporting right utilized the whole of resources, but they know that righ must triumph and theirs be

ultimate victory. We, snimated the same spirit, joined the Allies given cause. Now right has triumphed and hereafter right will shine with the brilliance of celestial bodies and the ment of the Allies shall be everlasting. Their victory is the greatest in history. The Allied and Chinese soldiers, now standing in the same enclosure are friends together, and I carnestly hope that we shall never forget this memorable occasion and that we shall always! observe the principle of the victory which we are celebrating here and that the nations of the world will maintain

peace for ever." The troops then merched out and rockets were fired, while seroplanes. circling, overhead, dropped congratulatory messages. The Allied Legation Guards and a picked battalion of Chinese troops marched through the Legation Quarter while the remainder of the Chinese troops marched through the western city past General Tuan Chih-

jui's residence NAVAL "HUSH" V.C. HUMOROUS INCIDENT AT PALACE.

A humorous incident marked the King's investiture in the Quadrangle of Buckingham Palace recently. One of the naval "hush." V.C.'s was to presented to Lt. Harold Auton, of the R.N.R., the story of whose gallantry in an action with an enemy submarine cannot be told until after the war. Instead of reading the record of the exploit for which the honour had been awarded, as is usual, the Equerry than noon on 17th December, a list of the V.C. Lt. Auton stepped forward to receive the decoration, and at the same moment the band of the lrish. Guarda began to play, "Husb, husb, hush, Here comes the Bogey Man. The King, as well as the spectators, at 206, Queon's Road Central, reports that once saw the humour of the coincidence. and laughed heartily. A second V.C awarded to Lt.-Col. Chas Edwd. Hudson of the Sherwood Forestery, was also presented. The distinction was won for Mok Rum Sun, a servant employed a daring action on the Italian front?

HAMBERLAIN'S Cough Remedy

ESCAPE FROM SUNKEN SUBMARINE.

PETTY OFFICER'S FIGHT FOR LIFE

One of the most remarkable experiences of the war is that of a British stoker | He belonged to the Collingwood Bath, try and states that it equals thirty two rising water, receiving electric shocks, and towards the end suffering from the effects of chlorine gas and a badly two hours, keeping his head to the last, and at the seventh attempt at opening the hatch succeeding in escap-

Water was pouring in at the lower conning -tower batch in a practically everything he touched gav him a shock

He tried to think of a means escape, and conceived the idea opening the hatch and floating to the surface, but the tremendous pressure of

the water outside prevented his moving it. He had always accepted the theory that the pressure inside a sunken locked yessel could be greater than pressure outside. So to increase pressure inside [ ) opened a valve and admitted more water. Then he opened the hatch, but it instantly closed again as he had insufficient pressure are With his shoulder he lifted the hatch trops, while those fighting for but again it slammed to crushing his threat. valve and admitted water notile the engine-room was flooded right up to the confined space was under tremendous pressure, greater than that of the water outside, so he was able to open the hatch and rise rapidly to the surface, where he was picked up by a destroyer.

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FIENDISH CRUELTY TO BRITISH PRISONERS.

The following experiences of a British prisoner of war who excaped from Germany in May this year a ter nearly four years ceptivity are now made public for

petty officer who escaped in a mira of the Royal Navat Division, and he was times what the war cost Great Britain culous manner from one of our submar captured at Momboke, near Autworp, on nes which had sunk in home waters from Oc. 10, 1914. Ha and his companions an accidental cause. Alone, in almost were more or less exhausted, and as shey complete darkness, with the gradually were being marohed off the Germans de liberately fired into their ranks, killing ommander. As his officer lay on rushed hand, he worked on for nearly through him. "It was cold - bloode murder. says the witness. The informant was taken to Doeberitz, where he remained notil May, 19:6. In November, 1914, he was an eye-witness of one of these tragedies which unfortunately are by no means rare in the German prisoner camps. mighty The prisoners were being muched in four, volume, so that his chances of closing it to the cookhouse, and as they were passing were perfectly hopeless. His only hope through a certain gate the sentry on duty escaping drowning was to shut him. fired into them, the bullet hit a man in the self in the engine-room. Getting in, be region of the heart, killing him instantly. and wounded a Russian. The informant time, stated that the men were qui s troops and entered the Tai Ho Tien. chloring gas, and the air was becoming whatever for the guard's sction. Several and foon afterwards the sentry who ha committed the murder was promoted cor

INCREDIBLE BRUTALITY. mos a soldier belonging to the East Surrey Regt. who gave him details concerning an outrage which had been perpetrated on a captured British seaman. This man was tied up to a post for punishment, and, by way of increasing his sufferings, the Ger" man guard opened the man's shirt so as to leb the mesquitoes ges at him. He was taken down inconscious, and afterwards an under-officer tried to choke him, bu some of the other prisoners intervened is a result of this frestment the man. now subject to epileptic fits, and when these irs are on him the marks of under-officer's fingers appear upon

40 DIED OF STARVATION

AND COLD. Towards the end of | February, 1917, the risoners were taken to Mittau, where party of 50 Uhlans took charge of them. and they started off for Koluson, on the Riga front about 26 kilometres (224 miles) away. They had no food on the way what-Outside the town they came to the river as and followed its course. Afte three hours he men were beginning to get tired, but if a prisoner slackened his pace men who have suffered as the informant

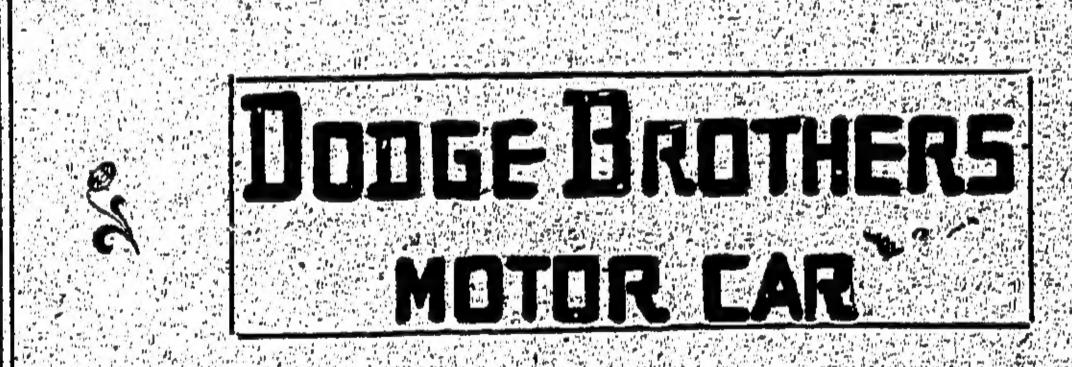
the Uhlans used their lanc s. men collapsed, out of a party of 500 - After the Hun in quelty.

THE WEALTH OR -GERMANY

Answering the question whether Germany could pay for the war, Proc and a diagnasies gives some estimates to show the enormous weelsh of the coun up to date. Her coal, as the yery low average price of toe per ton at the pit's mouth, alone represents a capital of £211,678,000,000. Her store of from of the prisoners, amongst whom was their ore, reckoned at be per tour is worth about £1,000,000,000. The extent of ground a guard came and put a bayonet her salt deposits is so vast as simoss to doly measurement; it is a very moderate estimate indeed to assume that her stores of potash, at the low price of low per ton represent a value of £25,000,060,000. Germany possesse, at a moderate estimate 60,000,000,000 more tone of coal than all the rest of Europe put together. If you took this excess and dumped it. down in the middle of London it would represent roughly two cubic miles of coal-a solid mass two miles high two miles across, and two miles thick. The orderly, and that there was no reas a Rhoniah-Westphalian coalfield is the largest and most extensively exploited German officers were present ab the time, this is situated within easy reach of France and Belgium. German experts have estimated that at the present rate of exploitation the coal worth ebtaining While the informant was at Doeberitz he down to 2,000 metres in the Rhenish-Westphalian slone would suffice for

> three waeks behind the Hnes, out of the 5 0 men only 30 could stend up. Forty had died of starvation and cold ; some were

from to their beds." RELEASED HUNS' "GRATITUDE." At Doeberitz the authorities have now institute I appointments to be held by German officers and men who have been exchanged from England Those are called Officers of Justice and Corporals of Justice. and they are given a free hand as regards the freatment of prismers. A complaint was recently mide to Commandant Alberti against one of those Officers of Justice, but no redress was possible as this officer had papers to show that he was superior to the Camo Commandant in matters of discipline. It is interesting to observe from the man's narrative how the released Huns show their gratitude for the kind treatment they have a ways received at the hands of their British captors. It would be an interesting experiment to appoint as Officers and Corporals of Justice in German prisoner of sar camps in England, those officers and was made to suffer. The only drawback to the scheme would arise from the fact In the course of that terrible march 130 that my Britis could hope to compete with



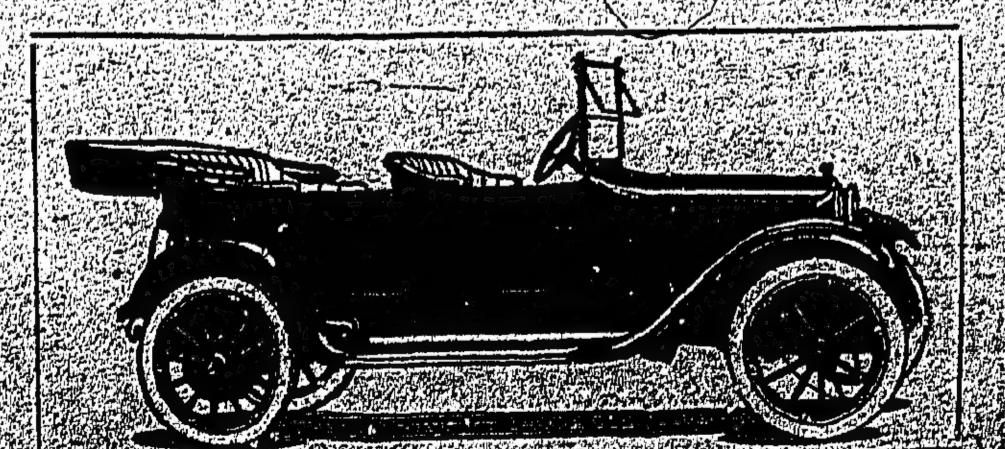
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### COMMERCIAL.

MALAYSIA RUBBER.

The twelfth ordinary general meeting of the Malaysia Rubber Company, Ltd. was held on September 25, at the Rub ber Growers, Association, 28, Eastcheap E.C., Mr. George Corderoy (chairman and managing director) presiding.

The Chairman, in the course of speech, said :- Notwithstanding the that, the amount "of rubber harvested during the year was 423,825 lbs. net. against 873,030 lbs. net in 1916, the net profe was only 217,201 I's., as against \* 224,525, 18s. 5d. in the previous year. This is wholly accounted for by the de crease in the selling price of the rubber. ewhich was 2s. 0,71d. per lb., net, as against 2s. 7.44d, per lb. net in the year field. Limited, to act as secretaries only very slightly up, viz., is 1.65d, the company in London and Malays, and remarked complemently that it is imposper lb., as against 1s. 0.69d, per lb. in we have entered into an agreement with sible to estimate the loss to France 1916, notwithstanding the increased cost of materials and general expenses and -the total cost is only 0.29d, per lo. more thus in 1918. While this invourable personal obligations, as managing direct requisition can be calculated. The result is mainly due to the increase in the rubber harvested, it also shows that who expenditure has been carefully watched. After referring to changes management and the many changes in the staff he continued: We have conringed to devote every attention to the Thenith of the trees and to the checking of incipient disease and the drainage and deen cultivation of the estate. The buildreport and accounts, and will ask my Jugs and plant have been fully meincolleague Mr. T. A. Ball to second the tained during the year under review, and our visiting agent reports favourably, under date July 1, upon the condition of -the estate. The labour position is not tiree from anxiety, but may be described, generally espeaking, as satisfactory. As intimated in the report, our application for additional land has been turned down by the Government in common with all similar applications by other companies, serving to the conditions set up by the war. These conditions are very difficult" and shave occasioned both expense. mixiety to the board. Owing to the restriction of output enforced upon us by reduced demand, consequent mainly upon the maioning scheme introduced in United States," with the resulting drop In the selling price of rubber, the prement outlook of our company, in common with that of all other companies, is in

### from bright." PRESENT SITUATION.

Some strempt is being made in F.M.S. ato give relief to the industry the suspension of the export duty and the war tax, and there is a suggestion that the "American manufacturers will press the lievernment to allow more cubber to He imported into the United States. The whele position of the industry is imder ously re-elected, and the suditors. review by the Government authorities in consultation with the Rubber Growers. Association. I am not in a position forceast the probable outcome of their Heliberations, though some people hope thut a minimum price for the product will be fixed. The situation is such that It believes all concerned to exercise the greatest prudence in connection with the finance of the companies for which they are responsible and to conserve their

Turning now to the secounts, it is muccessary to comment upon them s length. The reserve fund now stands at a total of £14,025, made up as to 1910,000 of general reserve and £4:025 In respect of depentury redemption fund. lAs already stated, we show a net profit of 217,291 14s. giving, with the amount of £4,175 15s. 6d. brought forward from 11916 (i.e., the amount of £16,675, 15s. Ed. brought forward from the previous profit and loss account, less the final balance dividend (4,500) paid in respect of 1918, and the amount of £8,000 paid on account of excess profits duty for the year) a total disposable balance 221 467 9s. 8d. As stated in the report interim dividends of 15 per cent expounting to 24 500, have been paid during and on account of the year 1017. and the sum of 21,150 placed to deben ture redemption fund. The directors regret that they cannot recommend the payment of any further dividend, having regard to the need already referred to for conserving the liquid assets of the company, the claim lot exocus profits duty and the precarious general situation. I can add mothing to what is said in the report as to the position with regard to the assessment for excess profits duty. This is being vigorously disputed by the board. I dealt to length, in my speech last year with the injustice injuring to this company by the method of lavying this ter, and a do not wish to repeat a length the grament I then entered into bot I testerate the coincor which I expressed. that the excess profits duty reques with unfoccomble reverity on all progressive businesses and with permiss 

work during the year under very difficult CENTRAL POWERS' LOOT conditions, and their indebtedness to their agent, Mr. Roulemas.

BARRISONS AND CROSPINIS

On August 9 we received to collection Mr. Keulemans (our agent in Penang) informing us that he had decided lose har Penning office so the end September. This made is necessary ments in the East, and the hoard the opportunity to review the whole tion with regard to the secretarist and sgency strangements of the company and, a fee consultation with our seorstary Mr. G. A. Medonald Cwho was to co-founder with me of this company and has served us so lovely and well its - inception), and mature ideration, came to the conclusion coming to an arrangement with The rincresse in the f.o.b. cost is seents for the conduct of the affairs of in the spring. The Rhenish organ for his zealous and unstinted service. which has been of great value to the company, and in Saying this I am sure that I am echoing the sentiments of our colleagues. We shall still have the ad vantage of his association with the com pany as its solicitor, and I know his interest in its welfare will continue. conclude by moving the adoption of th

> Mr. T. A. Dall, said it was clear from the chairman's speech that the immedi ate outlook was serious; inasmuch as they had a large disposable balance, which for precautionary reasons they were unale to distribute by way of dividends At the same time it was worth while taking a longer view of the position, and be thought the shareholders, would agree that the acreage output they disclosed in the report-over 460 lbs. per screand the fact that in spite of all the difficulties they had had to encounter in the past year there was an increase in cost of under 1d. per lb., were two very satisfactory features. As the profit earned was equivalent to 57% per cent, or their capital, he ventured to think that, after the removal of the present restrict tions and of all the difficulties that they had to contend with at the present moment, their company would rank as one of the best and most satisfactory rubber investments. He had pleasure

in seconding the motion. The Chairman, in reply to questions, said that the arrangement with Mesers. Harrisons and Crosfield would be marely that they would not as agents in the East and secretaries in London.

The motion-was carried unonimously The retiring directors, Mr. P. J. Bur gess and Mr. T. A. Ball, were unanim-Messre, Hartley and Hartley, were re

A hearty vote of thanks to the chairman, directors and staff in the East tarminated the proceedings.

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COLOSSAL PLUNDERING.

The Austrian peace proposal shed light on the plundered indemnity by the Contrain Swiss sources of news give approximate estimates of the total booty wrung from the countries and territories invaded by the Imperial armies of Germany and Austria, Attila was an insignificant marauder compared with Kaiser Wilhelm. Before the recent victories of the Allies the German Press, especially the "Frankfurter" Zeitung," the leading fluencial organ of Germany, stated that the Empire could partly pay the hoge war debt with the plunder captured by the Imperial Armies in occupied territory and in This plan was advocated at the time of the great German offen them to act in these capacities as from through the derastation of town and October I next. I cannot let the op- rural districts by the German armies, but postunity pass without expressing my the gain to Germany by pillage and tor, to our secretary, Mr. Macdenald, Eighth German War Loan returned £720,000,000, and raised the debt of the Empire to £4,360,000,000 consolidated since 1913. The most effectua means for covering the beavy war expenditure are ready to hand in the on application at the Company's Office hooty captured and money extorted in the occupied territory.

The German armies are the best instrument for the smortization of the war debt by sequesting the enemy. During air months from October, 1917. to March, 1918, the Central Empires captured a value of £75,000,000 solely in arms, munitions, and railway rolling stock. To this booty must be added clothing, oil, fats copper, and rubber soized in the north of France sufficient for German needs during an entire year. The total plunder of the Imperial armies and German administrative extertions in invaded countries are equivalent to a big war indemnity, and are most beneficial to German finances. Since the recent defeats the tone has changed.

A MEANS OF ESCAPE. A German, Herr Herman Ferman. wrote recently in the Swiss review. "Friedenswarte" that now all nations heing up in arms against German Imperialism, that Empire must become a democratic State to escape from economic war and commercial and financial ruin ... The organization of German demoracy would be the most brilliant of victories of One the other hand, Professor Oppenbeimer replied in "Frankfurter Zeitung" to the alleged statement in the British Press recommending the exaction of a war indemnity from Germany amounting to £80,000,000,000. The professor retorted in figures. He showed that the the national fortuis of Germany before the war was £16.000,000,000, and the State revenue £1,500,000,000. There fore, in the event of the Allies victory these could not obtain au indemnity of more than £600,000,000 annually, calculated on a national capital reduced £12,000,000,000. The leading object of the war in 1914 was planned economic and "financial burglary, Tr many Swiss and German financial quarters the paternity of this gigantic plot is attributed to Dr. Helfferich.

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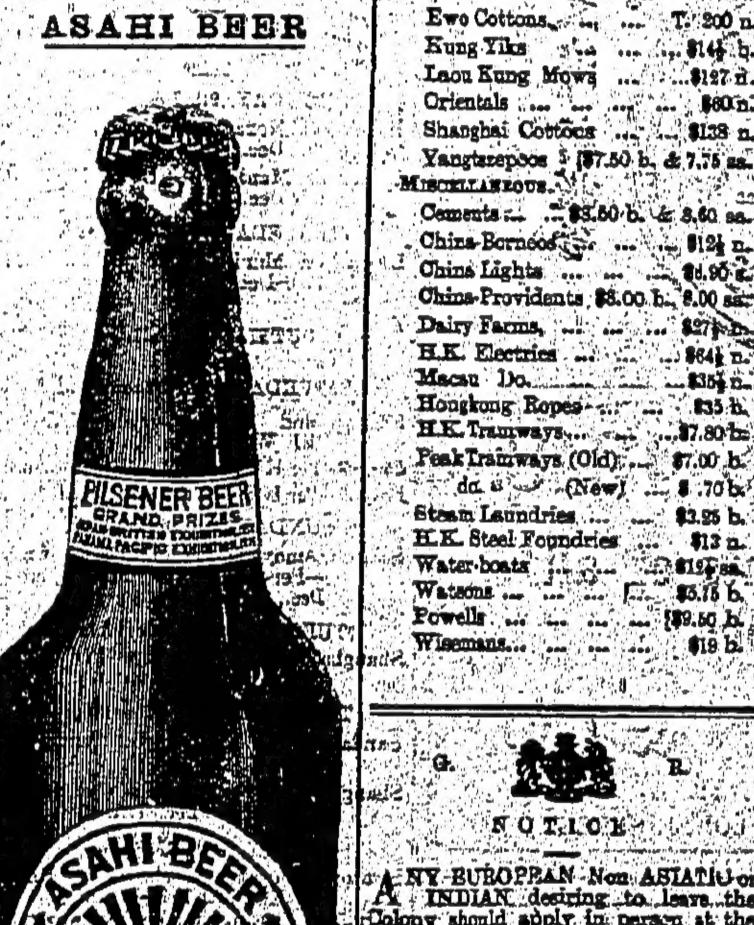
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COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN HELSINFORS AND REVAL INTERRUPTED.

HELSINGFORS, December 4th Boishevist troops attempted to land of Viborg, but were repulsed. Bolshevisa ships control the Gulf of iland and communication between delsingfors and Reval is interrupted

WAR . PRISONERS . RETURNING .. THE QUEEN'S GREETINGS.

London, December 3rd. Hea Majesty the Queen greeted the prisoners from the Front, at the Cannon Street railway station; and shoolt hands with many of them. They denounced the chameful ill-treat-

ment they had experienced. A NEW FRENCH LOAN.

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LONDON. December 3rd. New British destroyers have arrived at

A REVOLUTIONARY SOCIALISTS PROPOSAL.

"THE EX-KAISER'S CASE SHOULD BE DECIDED.

THE HAGUE, December 4th. made by the Revolutionary Socialist M. Wynkoop, that the question of the exbecause it might endanger the importation of foodstulls, was defeated by 59 votes,

MHOLESALE ARRESTS OF TURKS

Paris, December 4th. A message from Constantinople states: At the request of the Ottoman Government the Berlin Government has ordered the agrest of Enver Pasha, Talant Pasha, Diemal Pasha, Nazim Pasha, and Shukri Ber, who took refuge in Germany. The Ottoman Government has arrested who was proceeding to Odesa with half million pounds of Turkish money which he had amassed at Aleppo in a month.

> THE UNION BETWEEN SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO DENIED.

PARIS, December 4th. It is semi-officially announced that the Montenegrin Government has denied the Austrian report that the Skupstina had decided to depose King Nicholas and mite Montenegro with Serbin.

ALLIES CONSIDERING QUESTION "OF' INDEMNITIES.

STRONG EXPERT COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

LONDON, December 4th Mr. Lloyd George states that all the fallies are now considering the question of indemnities and that the Government had established a very strong expert Committee representing every shade of opinion to investigate carefully the

expacity of Germany to pay. France, presumably, was paying special attention to the question because the camage inflicted there on the towns, scities and countryside had been extra ordinarily severe.

The Gorernment had requested the Attorney-General to refer the question of the responsibility for the invasion of Belg. In and the conduct of the war to some of greatest British Jurista. They have finally concluded that the Kaizer is guilty of an indictable offence and he ought be held responsible.

(Cheers.) THE GERMAN COLONIES.

INCLUDED IN THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

LONDON, December, 4th. Mr. Walter Long, speaking at Bristol ! disclosed the fact he was a member of the Cammittee mentioned by the Premier on November 29th to loonsider the terms that, should be demanded from Germany. Therefore, he could emphasize that the Propire need not have any anxiety as to there being any tenderness on the part of Great Britain and ber Allies Although he did not desire to enlarge

the British Empite he did not see any dermative solution to the problem of the German Colonies than their inclusion in

Whore the natives had been consulted ticy had been overwhelmingly in favour trut this course be adopted.

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ed rapt. and when she would turn a page you rould jump to your feet at once, and put your hand on Her arm, and ask in your child voice:

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